

HOUSE JOINT RESOLUTION 299

By Lynn

A RESOLUTION to honor and congratulate Kathleen Vogel on her selection as High School Teacher of the Year at Mt. Juliet Christian Academy.

WHEREAS, it is fitting that the members of this General Assembly should pause to specially recognize those outstanding teachers who have devoted their careers to providing the highest quality education for Tennessee's students; and

WHEREAS, Kathleen Vogel is one such estimable educator, who has distinguished herself as a professional of the greatest dedication, ability and integrity; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Vogel has recently been selected High School Teacher of the Year by Mt. Juliet Christian Academy, an honor most befitting her outstanding tenure as a teacher as it recognizes the positive influence she has had on so many young lives; and

WHEREAS, Kathleen Vogel received her bachelor's degree from Appalachian State University and since then, has served with acumen and alacrity as a high school science teacher; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Vogel has devoted ten of her nineteen years as a teacher to the education of the students at Mt. Juliet Christian Academy; and

WHEREAS, Kathleen Vogel is an extremely talented and compassionate educator who works assiduously to motivate her students to reach their full potential, both as scholars and as

citizens; she is said to have the rare ability to set challenging standards for her students while maintaining loving relationships in which students feel free to seek her advice and guidance; and

WHEREAS, Ms. Vogel truly serves as an inspiration to her colleagues and students alike, and her friendship and counsel are highly valued by those who are fortunate to know her; and

WHEREAS, Kathleen Vogel truly epitomizes the ideal of the dedicated teacher who is wholly committed to the highest ideals of public service and quality education for all, and she should be specially recognized; now, therefore,

BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES OF THE ONE HUNDRED THIRD GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF THE STATE OF TENNESSEE, THE SENATE CONCURRING, that we hereby honor and congratulate Kathleen Vogel on being chosen as High School Teacher of the Year at Mt. Juliet Christian Academy, commend her exceptional service to the children of Tennessee, salute her professional expertise and personal excellence and wish her all the best in her future endeavors.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED, that an appropriate copy of this resolution be prepared for presentation with this final clause omitted from such copy.